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# **BILL**

# **FOR**

AN ACT to amend the Firearms Act.

**E**NACTED by the Legislature of Gibraltar.

#### Title and commencement.

1. This Act may be cited as the Firearms (Amendment) Act 2010 and comes into operation on the day of publication.

## **Amendment of the Firearms Act.**

- 2.(1) The Firearms Act is amended in accordance with this section.
- (2) In sections 5(2), 6(6), 14(6), 18(1), 18(3), 18(5), 18(6), 18(7)(a), 19(1), 19(5) and 35 for "Governor" substitute "Minister with responsibility for justice".
- (3) In subsections (1), (2) and (3) of section 31 for "Deputy Governor" substitute "Minister with responsibility for justice".

#### Transitional provisions.

- 3.(1) For the purposes of the Firearms Act-
  - (a) any authority or approval granted or regulation or order made by the Governor under that Act; or
  - (b) permission granted by the Deputy Governor under that Act,

prior to the coming into operation of this Act and which is in operation on the coming into force of this Act shall be deemed to have been duly made or granted by the Minister with responsibility for justice.

### **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

This Act amends the Firearms Act by replacing references to the Governor and Deputy Governor with references to the Minister with responsibility for justice.

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